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SUMMARY OF TELEPHONIC INTERVIEW

Dear Sir:

On March 28, 2006, a telephonic interview was conducted between the undersigned and Examiner Hosain Alam. The § 101 rejection, claim objection, and entry of the Amendment after final (mailed January 31, 2006) were discussed. No references or exhibits were discussed.

The following items were agreed to between the undersigned and Examiner Alam:

- The Amendment after final (mailed January 31, 2006) will be entered for purposes of appeal;
- The Amendment after final has overcome the § 101 rejection; and
- The Amendment after final has overcome the objection of claim 1 under 37 C.F.R. § 1.75(c).

Respectfully submitted,

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